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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

JEAN-LOUIS GERSTENIMAYER

: ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLN

(Based on PCT/FR00/00917)

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: TWO-DIMENSIONAL DETECTOR:

OF IONIZING RADIATION AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-11 without prejudice.

Please add new Claims 12-22 as follows:

12. (New) Two-dimensional detector of incident ionizing radiation composed of first particles, comprising:

a stack of sheets of a first material configured to emit second particles by interaction with the incident ionizing radiation;